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The Connecticut Aggles baseball sam is shaping up well for a successal season. Practice of the squad the ast week denotes that, Manager Starr scently engaged as coach Dr. J. Jonovan of Mattapan, Mass. Charles rebbs of this city was engaged to oach earlier in the season but he will ot be able to take up his duties ow-

tructors have already made applica-ion to the Contest Committee of the ero Club of America for entry in the ational aeroplane competition, and he Contest Committee of the club has ecided that in view of the interest hown in this competition to extend he time of the competition from July to October 12.

MARQUARD PITCHED NO-HIT GAME

Giant Pitcher Celebrated His Return to Organized Ball by Blanking Brooklyn—Only Three Men Reached First Base-Score 2 to 0.

New York, April 15.—Rube Marquard, who jumped to the Brooklyn ford. Joe "Kid" Shea of this city Federals during the winter and back to New York, celebrated his returned to organized baseball by pitching a Charlie Noian won from Kid Lewis, no-hit game and shutting out the Brooklyn Nationals by a score of 2 fourth round, claiming a foul. Brooklyn Nationals by a score of 2 to 0. Rucker, the veteran left-handto 0. Rucker, the veteran left-hand-er of the Brooklyns, opposed the New er of the Brooklyns, opposed the New Yorker and it was a great pitchers' battle. Only three men reached first base on Marquard, two on bases on balls and one on an error by Fletcher, and but three balls were hit to the outfield. Marquard also helped win his own game by driving in the second run scored on Rucker.

Next to Marquard's pitching, Lobert's all around work featured. Until

bert's all around work featured. Until he filed out to Wheat in the seventh inning he had reached first base eight consecutive times, including yesterday's game. The score:

Wheat, if Cutshaw, 2b Hummel, 1b Stengel, rf Zimmer'n, rf Getz, m Miller, o Totals 28 0 24 13 2 Brooklyn 0 New York 0 Two base hit, Burns.

LEACH CROSS OUTPOINTED WALTER MOHR IN 15 ROUNDS

New York Lightweight Had Advantage in Seven Rounds While Mohr Had Five-Other Rounds Even.

weight through a mistake in the ar-

ticles.

Buddy Faulks of this city lost in rerves.

"Til come back if Connie asks me,"

CAPTURE THE FLAG Manager George Stallings Expects Stronger Opposition This Season.

Will the Braves walk away with the National league flag this year? It would seem that the team which batwould seem that the team which bat-tered down all opposition last year, strengthened by the acquisition of Sherwood Magee, the former Philly slugger, would have a comparative cinch in copping the gonfalon, but there are those who think the Braves will not even be in the running. Seven managers in the National league are firmly of that opinion. George Stallings is the only manager who does not agree with them. George has already dispensed with the formality of copping the flag and is figuring on his team's chances in the 1915 world's series. George says that while he series. George says that, while he expects greater opposition this season as a result of the strengthening of the other seven managers in the league, no one team has been sufficiently strengthened to interfere seriously with his team's chances. And the other seven managers in the league answer seven managers in the league answer in chorus, "We shall see."

BAKER WANTS TO COME BACK. "Home Run" Awaits Invitation from Connie Mack.

Waterbury, Conn., April 15.—Leach Cross of New York slightly outpointed Walter Mohr of Brooklyn in a 15 round bout here tonight. The fighters are lightweights. Cross had the advantage in seven rounds, Mohr in five, with the other rounds even.

Mohr weighed 135 pounds at 2 ofclock, Cross not having to make weight through a mistake in the arroll of the diamond has got on Baker's lure of the diamond has got on Baker's

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

MARKET WAS STRONG. Over 200 Separate and Distinct Issues Were Traded In.

New York, April 15.—Although the volume of business was slightly under that of last Friday, today's stock market surpassed all records for considerably over a year in the strength and scope of its upward sweep. Over 200 separate and distinct issues were traded in, among these being a num-ber of stocks whose long period of inactivity had all but caused them to

be forgotten.
One of the reassuring features of the session was the comparative qui-escence of Bethlehem Steeel, which remained in retirement after its early advanc and closed with a one point advanc and closed with a one point loss. The entire list, with a few unimportant exceptions, rose under the irresistible influence of an avalanche of new buying orders. From time to time this was partially neutralized by a renewal of selling for profits on an enormous scale. In the final hour recessions of a point or two resulted but net gains of two to five points were recorded in various stocks, while were recorded in various stocks, while among inconspicuous specialties even

Union Pacific. United States Steel and other speculative favorites repeat-ed their high prices of a day or two ago and many other stocks of high and low degree rose to levels unequalled in several years. Almost the only stocks to reflect backwardness were those comprising the motor group, but even these losses were normal in com-parison with their gains of the past

Engagement of \$7,000,000 gold from Canada and intimations of additional imports from the Orient were among the more interesting developments bearing upon the general financial Exchange on Germany was trifle farmer and remittances to condon showed no material change in

Americans were irregular in Lon-don, Canadian issues being lower, with a better demand for transcontinentals. Americans were irregular in Louidon, Canadian issues being lower, with
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The Bank of England reported a decided gain in its gold holdings, the
first in several weeks, together with a
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slight strengthening of its reserve liabilities.

Total sales of stocks amounted to 1,250,000 shares.

Following some early irregularity, the bond market turned strong Total sales, par value, aggregated \$4,000,000.

United States coupon 3's declined 1-2 per cent, on call.

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Spot quiet; middling 10.15; no sales MONEY.

New York, April 15.—Call money firm; high 2 1-2; low 2; ruling rate 2 1-4; last loan 2 1-2; closing bid 2 1-4, offered at 2 1-2. CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET. May 182% 183% July 182% 182% Sept 116 116% TASHV

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ne said. Baker's return to his team depends only on one thing—who will make the first move. It is understood Connie Mack is in a passive mood; he says Baker is under contract and ws what he is to get and it is up Baker and Ira Thomas, the Ath-

and Macy together. GAMES SCHEDULED TODAY.

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New York at Washington.

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Federal League. YESTERDAY'S RESULTS. Federal League.

Pittsburgh 3, Chicago 1, Ruffalo 6, Baltimore 2, Brocklyn 17, Newark 8, St. Louis 3, Kansas City 4. College Results. mell 13, Ningara 9. Cambridge: Harvard 5, University of Maint University of Michigan 14, Washington & Lee 2, Navy 8, St. Johns College 5,

National League Federal League Standing. Sansas City

Cheney Proved Too Wild. Chicago, April 15.—St. Louis defeat-ed Chicago. 4 to 2, in a listless game today. Cheney's wildness in the third inning caused his retirement. In this inning three bases on balls, three wild pitches, a stolen base and a single each off Cheney and Standridge, the recruit pitcher obtained from San Francisco, gave St. Louis the game. Doak pitched in mid-season form in the pinches. The score:

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St. Louis (N)

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Phillies Won from Champion Braves. Boston, April 15.—Philadelphia defeated Boston today, 7 to 1. Hits bunched in two innings, together with errors by the Braves' infield, accounted for all the visitors' runs. Mayer, the Philadelphia pitcher, was in fine form. Alternating flurries of rain, enow and hall swittled shout the player. form. Alternating flurries of rain snow and hail swirled about the players during the game. The score:

Philadelphia (N) Moran.rf
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Connolly.if
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Schmidt.1b
Smith.3b
Maran'le.sa
Gowdr.c

Pirates Evened Up with Reds. Cincinnati, April 15.-Ciacinnati evened up matters with the Pittsburgh team by winning the second game of the series here, 2 to 1. Two of the wild pitches by Benton in the fourth inning were responsible for Pittsburgh's only run. Otherwise he pitched in mid-secon form. Harven also

ed in mid-season form. Harmon also

pitched good ball, Lejeune's error making one of Cincinnati's runs pos-sible. The score:

Detroit, Mich., April 15.—Detroit defeated Cleveland, 5 to 4, today, in a game made noteworthy by the large number of extra base hits. The visiting players made four doubles, while the Tigers garnered three triples and a home run. Cleveland had a good chance to win in the ninth when Dauss passed two substitute batters, but the necessary hit was lacking. The score:

O Young 2b 4
O Cobb, cf 4
O Crawford, rf 4
O Veach, lf 4
O Kavan'h, lb 3
l Vitt, 2b 1

White Sox Scored 16 Runs, St Louis, Mo., April 15.—By bunching hits and taking advantage of their opponents' errors and bases on balls, the Chicago Americans this afternoon scored is runs against St Louis which scored 16 runs against St. Louis, which failed to send a man across the plate

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Yanks Defeated Washington. Washington, April 15.—Fisher passed eight men today, but his good work in the pinches held Washington to one run and New York won a 3 to 1 victory. Three of Fisher's bases on balls

were given in the seventh, but a strikeout and good fielding prevented Washington from scoring.

Hamper for Washington was taken out in the first inning after he had passed three men and made a wild hitch.

pitch. Ayers and Bentley finished the game. The score: New York (A) Totals 29 6 27 19 1 Ayers,p Totals.

Red Sox There With the Stick. Philadelphia, April 15.-Clever work by Lewis at bat and on the bases, to-gether with Speaker's fast running and a single by Hoblitzell in the ninth inning, enabled Boston to defeat Phil-adelphia here today by 5 to 3. Bush was taken out owing to wildness in the fifth inning and Collins was knocked off the rubber in six innings. Wyck-off and Mays finished the contest. Schang had his hand split by a wild pitch in the second inning. He will be out of the game for two or three weeks. The score:

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2 0 2 1 0 Barry.ss
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Hardwick's Triple Put Harvard in the Lead.

Cambridge, Mass., April 15.—Harvard batted out a victory over the University of Maine by a score of 5 to 2 today. Hardwick's triple in the fourth inning, driving in two runs, gave the Crimson the lead. Score by innings:

Harvard .. 0 0 0 3 0 1 1 0 x -5 10 4 U. of Maine 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 -2 4 3 Whitney and Waterman, Harte; Driscoll and Baker. Umpire, Lincoln.

SHAKEUP IN YALE BOAT. Four Second Oarsmen Placed in Varsity Shell.

New Haven, Conn., April 15 .- There was another shakeup in the Yale var-sity eight today, four men being taken from the second into the first boat. It is expected that the order in which the men are now rowing will continue for some time at least. The first eight s now seated:

now seated: Stroke, Adams; 7, Wiman; 6, Myer; Sturtevant; 4, Whittlesey; 3, Low; Gilfillan; bow Munson; coxswain. McLane.
Adams displaces Morse, who has

gone to stroke in the second eight;
Whittlesey takes the place of Sheldon, who rowed against Harvard last
year; Gilfillan replaces Bennett and
Munson takes Coe's seat. Wiman
changed places with Low.
A cut was also made in the training table squad, which it was an-nounced would consist for present nounced would consist for present of the men in the first boat and Morse

and Sheldon Coach Guy Nickalls, following the Pennsylvania races, made a general rearrangement of the oarsmen, the design being, it was then stated, to retard the development of the men giving them so-called "periods of rest" to guard against their going stale.

Philadelphia, April 15.—J. Gould and W. H. T. Huhn, court tennis doubles champions of the United States, representing the Racquet club of this city, today defeated Lawrence Waterbury and J. Gordon Douglas of the Racquet and Tennis club, New York, 6-1, 6-2 and 6-0 in the opening round of the national tournament, Joshua Crane and G. R. Fearing, Jr., of the Tennis and Racquet club, Boston, won from George H. Brooke and Edgar Scott, of this city, 6-4, 6-2 and 6-4. C. Suydam Cutting and E. Maurice Roche of Tuxedo won from James B. Lowell and Ford Huntingdon, New York, by default.

Payne Whitney and Charles E. Sands

2 1 14 1 0 Fayne Winters and Charles E. Sands
2 0 6 0 0 of the Racquet and Tennis club, New
3 0 1 2 0 York, who drew a bye, will meet Gould
and Huhn in the semifinal round tomorrow, while Crane and Fearing will
oppose Cutting and Roche.

The Norwich Business College team

The Norwich Business College team won the second game of a three game series from the Commercial school team by the score of 12 to 6. This makes one game for each team and the final game will be played soon. The score by innings:

N. B. C. 5 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 4—12
N. C. S. 0 0 2 0 0 0 1 3 0—6

The lineups were as follows:

N. B. C.—Baton c, Carey p, Ferguson 1b, Rush 2b, Able ss, J. Lynch 3b, Herbert If, Tellier cf, Hanks rf.

N. C. S.—Fillmore c, Murray p, Nelson 1b, McMahon 2b, Greary 3b, Spicer as, Nagle If, Martin cf, Moran rf.

The Englewoods, who defeated the Norwich Town Warriors last Saturday play them Saturday afternoon. play them Saturday afternoon. The Englewoods will leave on the 1.15 car from the square. The Englewoods' lineup will be: Poole c, Patterson p, Baton 1b, Counihan 2b, McKnight ss, Cummings 3b, Connolly If, Moran cf, LaBelle rf. The Englewoods would like a double header for Decoration day. All Sunday games are cancelled. Send all challenges through The Bul-Send all challenges through The Bulletin, or to Manager McKnight, No. 6 Robbins Court. Phone 1023-4.

East Ends Accept Challenge. The East Ends accept the Federals challenge for Sunday, April 18th, but the time will have to be changed to 2.30 p. m. The East Ends would like to hear from the Norwich Town War-riors, Jewett City Red Sox, Fitchville team, Montville team, Molls Colts, and any team between the ages of 18 and 20 years, for Sundays only. Answer through The Bulletin

Columbus, Ohio, April 15.—Freddie Welsh, champion lightweight boxer, has been matched to meet Johnny Harvey of New York, in a twelve round bout here April 23.

Secretary Reddy of the Bridgeport club says he has canceled all his exhi-bition games. He refuses to admit that Bridgeport will cancel all its

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BAKER'S DEALINGS

WITH CONNIE MACK.

Great Slugger Tells in His Own Words the Season He Forsoke the Athle-

The retirement of "Home-run" Bake was the big event of recent diamond history. In the May issue of the Base-ball Magazine the great slugger tells in his own words the reasons which led him to forsake a pennant winning club for the farm.

Baker says:
"I hope Mack can get ten men as good as I am, or better, to fill the place. I wish him all the luck in the world. Mack has always treated me fairly, but I owe him no debt. I have treated him as fairly as he has treated me

me "There isn't anything to be gained by such talk. I don't know whether or not Mack has said all the things he has been reported as saying. But there have been mistakes made some-

"It was reported in the press that Mack made the statement that he had to come down to Trappe every year to sign me, and that the last time he told me it was too much trouble to go to that effort every season, and he would like to avoid it by signing me for three years. I don't believe Mack made this statement. The only time he ever came to Trappe in his life was when he came to sign me for three years. And he came then because he was afraid the Federal League might be after me and he wanted to forestall their efforts. There is no mystery about that, I guess, to anyone. "I had always signed a contract for

one year at a time. This seemed the fairest way to me. Then, if I had a better season than I expected, I would be in a position to ask for more money while if I did not, I would never be adverse to accepting a cut. That statement will not be believed, but it is true. I would not willingly take more money than I thought I was worth. If I was a dub player and by good fortune or luck had been able to sign up for five thousand dollars a year I wouldn't have the face to take my salary if I knew it was all out of reason and more than I was worth. "This time Mack, however, wanted

me to sign for three years. He told me his reasons. I tried to argue with him and told him that he needn't be afraid of my leaving him in the lurch and jumping to the Federal League, I had no intention of going to the I had no intention of going to the Federal League, and in any case I would always be willing to work for him for less money than I would work anywhere else. That was what I told him then and I still say it, I would work for the Athletics cheaper than I would work for anybody else.

"I told him that I didn't want to sign for more than one year. That I couldn't foresee what the conditions would be at that time. As long as conditions were the same as when I signed it wilet be a still that the conditions of the foot and Mouth Disease. All rules and regulations of quarantine made by the Commissioner on Domestic Animals because of the Foot and Mouth Disease.

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would be at that time. As long as conditions were the same as when I signed it might be possible to arrange things. But these conditions might change. And if they did, as was not unlikely, they would change the nature of the contract.

"Mack pressed me, however, to sign. I am easy-going, I guess. At any rate, I didn't refuse him. I signed the contract. But I told him when I did so that I would quit the game at the end of the year. I had that right. If I was dissatisfied I had no right to go back on my contract and demand a new agreement if the conditions were unsatisfactory. But I did have the right to quit if I wanted to, especially as I reserved that right at the time and told Mack it was my intention to do so.

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"Later in the summer there was a good deal of trouble over the ten-day clause. The Federal League was making capital out of this clause and the owners were signing the players all over again to other contracts with the clause omitted. Mack was doing the same thing. He had trouble with Collins and McInnes and some of the rest Ilins and McInnes and some of the rest in getting them to agree to the change. And he had to pay them more money for their consent to the new arrangement. I knew the trouble he was having with some of his players, and 1 felt rather sorry for him. It is an exasperating thing to be a manager. The player has only one man to deal with, but the manager has twenty-five or more. And it is a hard job to keep them all satisfied.

"I knew this, so when he came to me and asked me to have my contract rewritten I told him to do whatever he wanted to do with it. I made no attempt to hold him up in any way. I dislike to mention this fact. I would prefer that Mack should do it. I mention it at all merely to show that in my dealings with him I was nevertrying to hold him up or take him at a disadvantage.

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AT A COURT OF PROBATE HELD at Ledyard, within and for the District A. D. 1915.

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Present—SAMUEL E. HOLDRIDGE, Fred E. Richards of Norwich, Conn., appeared in Court and moved that ade to be granted upon the estate of said deceased, alleged to be intended in the restance of the problem of the pendency of said application, and the time and place of plication, and the time and place of plication and the time and place of plication and the place of plication and the time and place of plica

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son. The world's series was a great disapprointment. I don't think, however, that anyone in recent years has ever seen the Athletics play a worse game than they did during the series, while, although I can't speak with so much certainty on that point, I doubt if the Braves ever played a better game than they put up in the four big contests. We had been in a slump for two months and every man played below form. But that, of course, is a part of baseball. After the season was over, however, and Plank and Bender went, it put a big crimp in our pennant prospects. Eddle Collins' going hurt the club in speed and perhaps in batting, though Lajole is liable to have a great year. Still Lajole is a veteran of many seasons and Collins is in his prime. So I believe it is impossible to fill his place, though no doubt Lajole will fill it as nearly as anyone could. All told, however, the conditions which existed a year ago are much changed. Then the Athletics were as sure a pennant winner as a club is ever sure in baseball, and the world's series money was within the reach of every one of

the players on that club. Now, while of course, the Athletics may win the ennant, they have fallen from practically a sure thing to a remote chance. Personally, I believe the Red Sox have the best show for the flag. "I wrote Mack a letter this spring telling him that I would not play this year. It was merely in line with what I had told him before on several occasions, and what I had told him when I signed. Perhaps it may not be the best way of doing business, but it is my way at any rate. I have no right my way at any rate. I have no wight under contract to ask him for any more money, and I haven't asked him for more money. Furthermore, I have no intention of asking him or anybody else for more money. Mack wrote me a letter some time ago and asked me if the money question was what was bothering me, and if it was what I wanted to be satisfied. I didn't even answer the letter. If he wants me to play he knows where I am. If he doesn't, it suits me. I am very well contented on the farm. I have a good farm, over two hundred acres, well stocked and well cultivated. I can earn a good living here in Trappe, the town where I was born.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

LEGAL NOTICE

DOGS TO BE SHOT.

Inasmuch as many dogs are not wearing muzzles, as ordered, and in view of the fact that a mad dog is at large, all unmuzzled dogs in the Town of Griswold will be shot by the Dog Warden on sight, if found running at large large.

JAMES H. SHEA,
JOHN POTTER,
AZARIAS GRENIER,
Selectmen Town of Griswold.
AMOS A. PHILLIPS,
Dog Warden. Dog Warden.
Dated at Jewett City, Conn., April
15, 1915. apr16d

NOTICE

ence to the Foot and Mouth Disease.

be driven on the nighways as becomes necessary.

The dressed carcasses of all animals on premises which have been inspected by the Federal or State inspectors and found free from Foot and Mouth Disease may be removed for the purpose of sale, in vehicle, from premises of owner, provided, heads and feet have been removed, carcass otherwise clean dressed, and rules of local Health Officers are complied with.

IEFFERRY O PHELPS JR.

JEFFERY O. PHELPS, JR., Commissioner on Domestic Animals.
Dated at Hartford, Connecticut, this
14th day of April, A. D. 1915.

Attest:
SAMUEL E. HOLDRIDGE,
Judge.